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Applicant: TSUCHIYA et al.

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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code § 119 of foreign priority as follows:

<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Country</u>
2002-265481	11 September 2002	JAPAN

The priority document will be furnished at a later date.

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